

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICANT: Johansen *et al.*
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/806,793 EXAMINER : Kimberly A. Ballard
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FOR: NOVEL NEUROTROPHIC FACTORS

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION
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Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants respectfully petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for responding to the Office Action (“Office Action”) mailed in the above-captioned application on March 26, 2007, thereby extending the period for reply up to and including July 26, 2007. Applicants submit herewith a requisite one-month extension of time fee for a small entity in the amount of \$60.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a).

In reply to the Office Action mailed March 26, 2007, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 7 of this paper.

Remarks start on page 9 of this paper.